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LATCH CONTROL USING  
CLOCK ALIGNED RELATIVE  
TO STROBE SIGNAL

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AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action dated SEPTEMBER 8, 2004, applicant respectfully requests reconsideration in view of the following amendments and remarks.

The Office Action set a shortened time period of response of 3 months expiring DECEMBER 8, 2004. This Amendment is accompanied by a Petition and fee for a one month extension of time expiring January 8, 2005. Given that January 8, 2005 falls on a Saturday and that the next business day is Monday January 10, applicant submits that the one month extension of time is sufficient under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 as long as this Amendment is filed on or before JANUARY 10, 2005 as indicated by the certificate of mailing above.